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SUBJ: IV NOMINATIONS FOR TRADITIONAL RULERS

REF: LAGOS 2862, 75 STATE 173703

1. POST JUST INFORMED THAT DESPITE INITIAL REACTION OF KADUNA STATE THAT GRANT TO EMIR OF ZARIA WOULD POSE NO PROBLEM, "GOVERNMENT NOW UNABLE TO ALLOW EMIR TO UNDERTAKE THE TOUR."

2. POST REGRETS THIS DEVELOPMENT AND REQUESTS THIS FY-76 GRANT BE HELD OVER THROUGH FY-77 AND REDESIGNATED TO ORIGINAL PRINCIPAL NOMINEE, HIS HIGHNESS ALHAJI ISA MUSTAFA, EMIR OF LAFIA, WITH ALHAJI IDRIS AS ALTERNATE.

3. REALIZE THIS REQUEST AT VARIANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS CONTAINED REF. B.; HOWEVER, IN VIEW RECENT COUP ATTEMPT AND AFTERMATH WHICH HAS MADE IT DIFFICULT FOR LEADERS THIS RANK TO LEAVE NIGERIA, REQUEST DEPARTMENT LOOK FAVORABLY UPON EXTENSION. WHILE SIMILAR POSTPONEMENTS OTHER DEPARTURES NOT ANTICIPATED, BELIEVE IT IN USG INTEREST EXERCISE FLEXIBILITY IF THEY OCCUR.

4. ADVISE

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